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Docket No.: 150-126

Title: Method And Apparatus For High Energetic Ultrasonic Tissue Treatment

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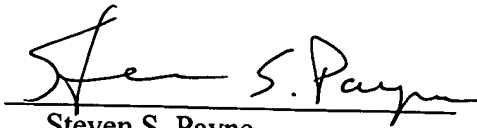
1. EP 0659387
2. US 5,938,608
3. US 6,132,378
4. JP 10248850

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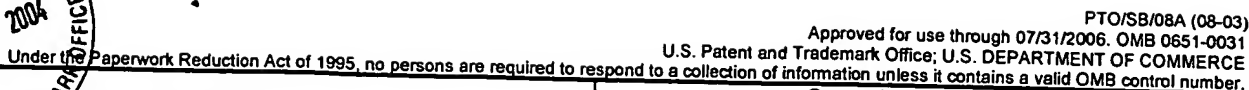
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